



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Toshiyuki SAKURAI et al.**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 5, 2005 for 2 months from October 5, 2005 to December 5, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$450.00 for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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